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1. Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment
2. Claims as Amended Form

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Enclosed is a Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment in response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2006. The items checked below are appropriate:

Any fee for additional claims has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Col. 1		Col. 2	Col. 3	Small Entity		Other Than A Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total Claims	*15	Minus	**60	=00	x \$25	\$00	x \$50	\$00
Independent Claims	*1	Minus	**11	=00	x \$100	\$00	x \$200	\$00
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims \$180						\$00	x \$360	\$00
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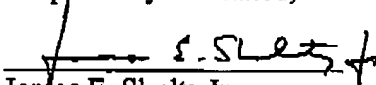
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1. ☐ Small entity status of this application 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted or is enclosed.
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2006 the Applicant offers the following response:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims:

The listing of claims contained herein shall replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.